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| REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995. See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA). | <i>Application Number</i> | 09/618,648 |
| | <i>Filing Date</i> | July 18, 2000 |
| | <i>First Named Inventor</i> | Joseph E. Geusic et al. |
| | <i>Group Art Unit</i> | 2814 |
| | <i>Examiner Name</i> | Wai-Sing Louie |
| | <i>Attorney Docket Number</i> | 303.382US2 |

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application entitled INTEGRATED CIRCUITS USING OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE INTERCONNECTS FORMED THROUGH A SEMICONDUCTOR WAFER AND METHODS FOR FORMING SAME.

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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3. ☐ An Amendment Under 37 CFR § 1.116 (☐ pages) is enclosed.
4. ☐ A new power of attorney (☐ pages) is enclosed.
5. ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed (1 page)
 - a. 1 Form(s) 1449
 - b. 1 Copies of IDS Citations
6. ☒ A check in the amount of \$740.00 is attached to pay the RCE filing fee required under C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
7. ☒ **The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit overpayments or charge any fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 through 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.**
8. ☐ A petition for extension of time in the prior application (☐ pages) is enclosed along with a check in the amount of \$ to pay the extension fee.
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